

BEFORE THE  
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

NOTICE OF MARKET-DOMINANT  
PRICE ADJUSTMENT

Docket No. R2013-1

RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO  
CHAIRMAN'S INFORMATION REQUEST NO. 7  
(November 7, 2012)

The Postal Service hereby files its responses to questions 1-2 of  
Chairman's Information Request No. 7, issued on November 5, 2012. Each  
question is stated verbatim, and is followed by the response.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Periodicals**

1. Please refer to the Notice at 6. Tables 3 and 4 show that the Docket No. R2013-1 planned price change for Periodicals is 2.560%, creating 0.010 percentage points of unused pricing authority. Please refer to the attached price cap calculation spreadsheet, which links the Hybrid Year Billing Determinants with the Docket No. R2013-1 planned prices. Please confirm that the Docket No. R2013-1 planned price change for Periodicals yields a price increase of 2.549%, creating 0.021 percentage points of unused pricing authority. If not confirmed, please explain.

**RESPONSE:**

Confirmed. Errata to USPS-LR-R2013-1/3 will be filed.

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2. Please refer to the Notice, Attachment A at 58, section 1310.6e, which states that the editorial adjustment is \$0.00101 for each 1 percent of editorial content. Please confirm that the Docket No. R2013-1 planned editorial adjustment is \$0.00104 for each 1 percent of editorial content, per CAPCALC-PER-R2013.xls tab "Outside County" cell H58. If not confirmed, please explain.

**RESPONSE:**

Confirmed. Errata to Attachment A will be filed.